

The State of Texas {
County of Bexar } On this 19th Day of
October A.D. One thousand eight hundred
and seventy four. Before me, Saml. G. Smith
Clerk of the District Court of Bexar County,
personally appeared José Antonio G. Navarro
to me well known, who being duly sworn
according to law, deposes and says, that he is fifty
five years of age, that he was born in the city
of San Antonio de Bexar Texas and is a native
of Texas that he is the identical José
Antonio G. Navarro who participated in the
Revolution of Texas in her struggle for independence
and was one of the company of Captain
Lawson, in the Battle of the Salado
in Bexar County and is one of the survivors
of said company during the invasion of the
Mexican armed forces under the command
of Genl. Adrian Woll, sometime during the
month of September in the year A.D. 1842, and
made a very narrow escape being closely pursued
by the enemy one of whom (Nicolas de los Santos) was to
him well known, and who is now living, that this
applicant was impressed into the service & does not pretend
to have been otherwise. That he has ~~also~~^{also} been in several
expeditions against hostile Indians under Col. Carnes
Dinsley and others and has had a continuous residence
in Bexar and Matamoros Counties where his Father, José Ant^o.
G. Navarro & Family were natives